

Lincoln County

Population Fact Sheet

The County Compared to Wisconsin Averages from the U.S. Census, 2000

Lincoln County: Population and Change since 1990						
	County: 2000 Census		STATEWIDE	County: Change since 1990		STATEWIDE
	Number	% of Total	% of Total	Number	% Change	% Change
Total, All Ages	29,641			2,648	9.8%	9.6%
Persons 60 +	6,303	21.3%	16.9%	576	10.1%	5.5%
Persons 65 +	4,852	16.4%	13.1%	477	10.9%	7.9%
Persons 85 +	768	2.6%	1.8%	271	54.5%	28.7%

Race and Racial Differences in Age	Lincoln County	STATEWIDE
Percent of 60+ population that is white:	99.6%	95.9%
Percent of 65+ population that is white:	99.7%	96.4%
Percent of 85+ population that is white:	100.0%	97.7%
Median age for all races:	38.9 years	36.0 years
Median age for whites:	39.3 years	37.6 years
Median age for African Americans:	16.6 years	25.4 years
Median age for Native Americans:	24.0 years	27.3 years
Median age for Asians:	19.0 years	22.9 years
Median age for Hispanics:	16.9 years	22.8 years

Living Arrangements and Housing Units	Lincoln County		Statewide
	Number	Percent	Percent
People age 65+ living in family households	2,923	60.2%	61.2%
People 65+ in family households who are householder or spouse	2,748	94.0%	92.7%
People 65+ in family households living in their child's household	87	3.0%	4.0%
People 65+ and living alone	1,420	29.3%	29.5%
People 65+ living in nursing homes	286	5.9%	5.4%
People 65+ living in noninstitutional group quarters	120	2.5%	1.6%
Households in the county, total	11,721	--	--
Households with one or more members age 65+	3,259	27.8%	23.0%
Housing units with householder 65+ that are owner-occupied	2,402	77.7%	75.0%
Housing units with householder 65+ that are rented	689	22.3%	25.0%
Housing units with householder 85+ that are owner-occupied	240	55.9%	57.5%
Housing units with householder 85+ that are rented	189	44.1%	42.5%

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census and Census 2000, Summary File 1.

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